

Epiphany This Week

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OUR WORSHIP THIS SUNDAY



8:30 am – Holy Eucharist (BCP)

10:30 am – Choral Eucharist (BAS) with a Memorial to Peter Anthony Roman and the Ministry of Healing and Children's Godly Play

Presiding & Preaching – Bishop Tom
Assisting – The Rev. Sarah

Following service there is a reception in Phoenix Hall hosted by the Roman family.

Parish and Community Events & Announcements

SOUND SYSTEM: We are in the process of correcting the issues we have with our sound system. A number of you have indicated that you are having trouble hearing during the service. Please note that our church is "hearing impaired accessible" with a loop system and wireless hearing devices. If you are hearing impaired, these devices are at your disposal on a weekly basis. If you are unsure of how to use these aids, please see Hoi Cheu or Norm Blanchard before the service and they will be happy to assist you.

OOTC VOLUNTEER TRAINING: All Out of the Cold volunteers are asked to attend "Connecting without Conflict", a hands-on skill building workshop facilitated by Emily Zanini, Health Promotion Educator, Canadian Mental Health Association. Please join us on Wednesday, October 17th at St. Andrew's Place, 3rd floor for this very important activity. Refreshments: 6:45; workshop and discussion 7:00 to 9:00. For more information, please contact gillian.schell@sympatico.ca.

DONATIONS NEEDED: Please note that the Foyer Notre Dame is in need of socks and men's boxers (size small/medium). Please consider adding a donation to the box in the cloakroom. Thank you!

NEIGHBOURHOOD COFFEE PARTIES: to socially welcome Sarah into the parish. Volunteer to host a coffee party and invite members of the parish living in your area. Nancy Cresswell hosts one this week and Rick & Marilyn Collinson will host another on October 17th. Speak with Bishop Tom if you are interested in hosting one.

HOSPIYALITY MINISTRY: When I commented in my remarks at our recent lunch that "we are all part of the hospitality committee here," it was a reminder that we all are part of creating a welcoming and caring environment for both visitors and long-time members. We all agree that the social time after the service is core to what we do, and we also know that it takes volunteer effort—serving tea and coffee is a gender-neutral task, and we welcome everyone. If you're intimidated by the coffee machine I'll happily show you; pre-packaged (free trade) coffee in the basket, pour the water in, and voila! Perhaps you'd be willing to do a loaf of sandwiches and some cookies and provide a light lunch once a year? Perhaps you would do it if you brought in a friend or a family member to assist? I would love to offer "hospitality" to some of our downtown neighbours, and that might be a ministry that appeals. And if you are one of those people who slip out without staying, why not offer to work one Sunday every month or two and see what you have been missing? We REALLY need some help if we are to maintain our weekly after-service social time—please consider prayerfully how this might be part of your ministry and let me know how you could join in; spglover@gmail.com, or leave a message for me at the church office 705-675-2279. With my thanks, Susan.

IN SURE AND CERTAIN HOPE: A SUDBURY-MANITOULIN DEANERY DAY takes place on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, from 10 am – 2 pm at Church of the Epiphany to learn of and discuss the topic of Physician assisted dying. See the attached poster for more information.

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DEANERY COUNCIL: meets on Saturday, October 20th at St. John's Church, Copper Cliff beginning at 9:30 am. All Wardens, Synod Delegates, Treasurers and clergy are members of the Council although everyone is welcome to attend.

HEALTH SCIENCES NORTH: will be hosting a Memorial Service at the Epiphany on Wednesday, October 24th beginning at 7 pm. This is a short service of prayer and music remembering family and friends who have passed away while in hospital. Everyone is welcome.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST: 8:30 am, Saturday, October 27th. All parish men are urged to come out and enjoy excellent conversation and a breakfast the likes you will never get at home!!! (\$10.00 each)

FALL CLEAN-UP: Set aside the morning of Saturday, October 27th and volunteer to help clean up the church grounds in advance of winter.



LUNCH & LEARN: Soup and sandwiches will be served by the Outreach Committee on Sunday, October 28th. Our guest speaker will be Patricia Elkerton of Toronto who will share the sad and unsettling situation taking place in many cities in "Human Trafficking"

NEIGHBOURHOOD COFFEE PARTIES: In our continuing effort to introduce our new Curate, Sarah, to the parish the next Neighbourhood Coffee Party will be at the home of Rick & Marilyn Collinson on Wednesday, October 17th at 2 pm. The following one will be at the home of Tom & Ruth Corston on Wednesday, October 31st at 2 pm. If you would like to host a party, please speak with Bishop Tom.

CONFIRMATION: We urge parents to register their children for a new Confirmation class. Participants should be at least 11 years of age to register. We are hoping that those of you who are adults needing to be either confirmed or received into the Anglican Church will also come forward. The Rev. Sarah has a potentially good program that could also include others who might like to learn more about what the Christian faith is really all about. Interested? Speak with Sarah or Bishop Tom by month's end.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH:

MONDAY	THANKSGIVING DAY – Church office closed. No Women's Bible study this week
WEDNESDAY	10 am, Holy Eucharist & Bible study
THURSDAY	9:30 am, Quilters Plus
NEXT SUNDAY	(Pentecost 21) 8:30 am, Holy Eucharist (BCP) 10:30 am, Choral Eucharist (BAS) & Children's Godly Play

Bishop Tom & Ruth are away this week attending the Provincial Synod in Ottawa. They will return on Friday.

Items for Epiphany This Week are to be sent to Marion Collinson or etw@epiphanysudbury.org **BY NOON** each Thursday